Econe of duty is the only really reliable stimulant,

The Raines law in New Yor : .. as put the liquor business under a cloud,

The Venezuela commission is much in evidence, or, more properly, deep in

The thirf who stole the hitching posts in Arcola, Ill., is probably some bicycle promoter.

Some people act as though they considered grumbling a virtue indicative of

is something funny about getting other people into trouble, The Russian bear, not satisfied with

Its recent feast on Turkey, is now consuming all the China. There is probably not a woman on

that she is more or less abused A man has arrived at years of discretion when he is pleased at being told

that he is a fair copy of his father. Truly the scepter is passing from the hand of man when we read that the most courageous soldiers of Cuba

are women. Ballington Booth has begun his carspaign in the northwest properly by striking at the chief center of wickedneus; Chicago.

The George W. Childs has just given material aid to the Coban insurgents. It is only a tug, but the name is kept up by such philanthropy.

Should Uncle Samuel have the hide and herns of the Spanish bull to exhibit at his next World's Fair, the aspect will be truly Columbian.

If the story that King Lobengula is alive and leading the revolt of the Matabele it shows the necessity of having him killed again without detay.

The opinion is growing that women should know more of firearms. The right to carry pops and to pep will eventually be freely accorded the sweet

Now that whisky is to be made from Wisconsin potatoes the farmers will probably reconsider their determination to turn their attention to other

That Texas murderer who zht on a hox of dynamite and deliberately exploded it furnished a precedent in his lust act that will be vigorously ap-

Two carloads of artificial legs have been sent from Berlin to the Italians in Africa. Now they are showing sense. Legs are more needed in fighting the Abyseinlane than firearms,

The Spaniards have scored another victory in Cuba. They succeeded in getting away after a lowing battle with the insurgents. There is an urgent by dropping the subject. need of more horses among Weyler's men so that they may get away faster.

Stanley, who gave up his American citizenship for the honor of a seat on his hand, "to put it into the bag, is it" the Tory benches in the English parlinfound that while a nobody may be emy of Science, Paris. somebody in the wilds of Africa, it takes where nearly everybody is somebody.

A New York woman has gone crazy and believes that human flesh is the only proper stimulant for the brain, She proposes to eat nothing but children in future and wants to begin with her own baby, who is only 19 months old, She tried eating spenges with butter, but found that unsatisfactory. She devery clever and bratny woman, ate nothing but bables.

Nicola Tesla says that Edison is not working along the right line in his X ray work, while he is. Now, as a matter of fact, while Mr. Teela has enjoyed more newspaper notoriety than | tand-ateward, standing alone on Edison, he has not put out nearly as many inventions. He claims to have plenty of wonders on his sleeve, but the public is likely to be largely on the together, and I make out a sum-total side of The Wigard, who finishes his which is, I think, pretty near the mark. things promptly said give the public You have refused that Paris appoint the bonefit of them. - we friend; and I fancy I can

A youth-It New Haven thew funny it is that so many horrible things happen in Connecticut) suddenly disappeared on his wedding day a few hours before the ceremony was to be performed. It was discovered that he had fied from the town into the measureless hence, but the bride, who is a determined New England girl, hus started out to find him and says when she does she will marry him so quick that he will have no time for a second brenk-away.

An entremely pretty white girl in New York has married a reputsive negro freak, who is on exhibition at a dime museum there under the strange name of the Turtle Boy. He is a dwarf monatrosity and also an imbedile. He cannot walk and rescubles an animal mere than a human being. Another case for Max Norths.

The greater New York project being now practically a thing of the past, it is in order to plant potatoes on a portion of the soil that it was proposed to have in the city limits.



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CHAPTER VI. important morrow came; irretrievably, for good or for evil the momentous marriage-vow was uttered. Charles Danville and Rose Trudaine were now man and wife. The prophecy of the magnificent sunset

Too many persons imagine that there over-night had not proved false. It was a cloudless day on the marriage morning The auptial ceremonies had proceeded smoothly throughout, and had even satisfied Madame Danville, She returned with the wedding-party to Trudaine's house, all smiles and secenity. To the bride she was graciousness itself. "Good girl," said the old earth who does not privately believe indy, following Rose into a corner, and patting her approvingly on the cheek with her fan. "Good girl! you have looked well this morning-you have done credit to my son's tasto. Indeed, you have pleased me, child! Now go upstairs, and get on your traveling dress, and count on my maternal affection as long as you make Charles happy."

It had been arranged that the bride and bridegroom should pass their honeymoon in Brittany, and then return to Danville's estate near Lyons. The parting was hurried over, as all such partings should be. The engriage had driven off-Trudains, after lingering long to look after it, had returned hastily to the house-the very dust of the whirling wheels had all dispersedthere was absolutely nothing to seeand yet, there stood Monsieur Lomaque at the outer gate; idly, as if he was an independent man-calmly, as if no such responsibilities as the calling of Mafame Danville's coach, and the escorting of Madame Danville back to Lyons, could possibly rest on his shoul-

Idly and calmly, slowly rubbing one hand over the other, slowly nodding his head in the direction by which the bride and bridegroom had departed. stood the eccentric land-steward at the outer gate. On a sudden, the sound of footsteps approaching from the house seemed to arouse him. Once more he looked out into the road as if he expected still to see the carriage of the newly married couple. "Poor girl!ah, poor giri!" said Monsiour Louisque softly to himself turning round to ascertain who was coming from the house.

It was only the postman with a letter in his hand, and the post-bng crumpled up under his arm.

"Any fresh news from Paris, friend?"

asked Lomaque, "Very bad, mousieur," answered the postman. "Camille Desmouline has appealed to the people in the Pulais Royal there are fears of a riot.

"Only a riot," repeated Lomaque, sarernment not to be afraid of anything | the son. worse! Any letters! he added, basti-

"None to the house," said the postman-"only one from it, given me by Monsieur Trudaine. Hardly worth while," he added, twirling the letter in Lomaque looked over his shoulder as ment, has turned out a complete par- he spoke and saw that the letter was liamentary failure. The explorer has directed to the President of the Acad-

"I wender whether he accepts the a somebody to be anybody in a boune place or refuses it?" thought the landsteward, nodding to the postman, and continuing his way back to the house.

At the door he met Trudaine, who said to him rather hastily, "You are going back to Lyons with Madame Danville, I suppose?"

"This very day," answered Lomague, "If you should hear of a convenient bachelor-lodging at Lyons, or near it." continued the other, dropping his voice clares that her grandmother, who was a and speaking more rapidly than before, you would be doing me a favor if you would let me know about it."

Lomaque assented; but before he could add a question which was on the tip of his tongue, Trudaine had vantshed in the interior of the house,

"A bachelor-lodging!" repeated door-step. "At or near Lyons! Aha! Monsieur Trudaine, I put your bachelor lodging and your talk to me last night ment, my friend; and I fancy I can guess why."

He paused thoughtfully, and shook his head with ominous frowns and bitings of his lips.

"All clear enough in that sky," he continued, after awhile, looking up at the lustrous mid-day heaven, "All clear enough there; but I think I see a litthe cloud rising in a certain household firmament already-a little cloud which hides much, and which I for one shall watch carefully."

CHAPTER VIL



IVE years have elapsed since Monsieur Lomaque stood thoughtfully. at the gate of Trudaine's house, looking after the carriage of the bride bridegroom. and and seriously refleeting on 1350 events of the im-

Great changes have passed over that domestic firmament in which he brophetically discerned the lists warn- mether, whose imprudent sincerity is nursed.

ing cloud. Greater changes have passed NEXORABLY the over the firmament of France. What was Revolt five years ago is Revolution now-revolution which has engulfed thrones and principalities and powers; which has set up crowntess, inhereditary kings and counselors of its own, and has bloodily torn them down again by dozens; which has raged and raged on unrestrainedly in fierce earnest, until but one king can still govern and control it for a little while. That King is named Terror, and seventeen hundred and ninety-four is the year of his reign.

> Monsteur Lomaque, land-steward no longer, sitz alone in an official-looking room in one of the official buildings of Paris. It is another July evening, as fine as that evening when he and Trudaine ant talking together on the bench overlooking the Scine. The window of the room is partly open, and a forut, pleasant breeze is beginning to flow through it now. Lomsque breaths uneastly, as if still oppressed by the sultry midsummer heat; and there are signs of perplexity and trouble in his face as he looks down absently now and then into the street.

> The times he lives in are enough of themselves to sadden his face. In the Reign of Terror no living being in all the city of Paris can rise in the morning and be certain of escaping the apy, the arrest, or the guillotine, before night. Such times are trying enough to oppress any man's spirits; but Lomaque is not thinking of them now. Out of a mass of papers which He before him on his old writing table, he has just taken up and read one, which has carried his thoughts back to the past, and to the changes which have taken place since he stood alone on the door-step of Trudaine's house, pondering on what might happen.

More rapidly even than he had foreooded, those changes had occurred. In less time even than he had anticipated, the gad emergency for which Rose's brother had prepared, as for a barely possible calamity, overtook Trudaine, and called for all the patience, the courage, the self-sacrifice, which he had to give for his sister's sake. By slow gradations downward, from bad to worse, her husband's character manifested itself less and less disguisedly almost day by day. Occasional slights ending in habitual neglect; careless estrangement turning to cool enmity; small insults which ripened evilly to great injuries-these were the pitiless signs which showed her that she had risked all and lost all while still a young woman-these were the unmerited afflictions which found her helpless, and would have left her helpless but for the ever-present comfort and support of her brother's self-denying love. From the first, Trudaine had devoted himself to meet such trials as now usualled him; and like a man he met them, in defiance alike of persecucastically. "Oh, what a brave gov- tion from the mother and of insult from

The hard task was only lightened when, as time advanced, public trouble began to mingle itself with private grief. Then absorbing political necessities came as a relief to domestic misery. Then it grew to be the one purpose and pursuit of Danville's life cunningly to shape his course so that he might move safely onward with the advancing revolutionary tide he cared not whither, as long as he kept his possessions safe and his life out of danger. His mother, inflexibly true to her oldworld convictions through all peril, of honor, and courage, and cinceritylaugh. As he had taken the faise way clothes and clothing. with his wife, so he was now bent on

taking it with the world. The years passed on; destroying hanges swept harricane-like over the old governing system of France; and board. The next day the passenger still Danville shifted successfully with lost his identity. Everybody called the shifting times. The first days of him "1,601." From that time he was the Terror approached; in public and in known by his ticket number, private-in high places and in loweach man now suspected his brother. Crafty as Danville was, even he fell voices would ask: ander suspicion at last, at headquarters in Paris, principally on his mother's account. This was his first political fatture, and in a moment of thoughtless rage and disappointment, he wreaked the irritation caused by it ou | the way he figured it up; Lomaque. Suspected himself, he in turn suspected the land steward. His oud cabin passengers and know everymother fomented the suspicion-Loma-

que was diaminsed. have been ruined—in the new times he what is due them I give expert testiwas simply rendered cligible for a politeal vocation in life. Lomnque was poor, quick witted, secret, not scrupu-He was a good patriot, he had good patriot friends, plenty of ambition, a subtle, cat-like courage, nothing to dread—and he went to Paris. There were plenty of small chances there for men of his calibre. He waited for one of them. It came; he made the most of it; attracted favorably the notice of the terrible Fouquier-Tinville; and won ble way to a place in the of-

fice of the Secret Police. Meanwhile Danville's anger cooled. down; he recovered the use of that cunning sense which had hitherto served. him well, and sent to recall the distarded servant. It was too late, Lomaque was already in a position to set him addefiance may, to put his neck, perhaps, defiance—nay, to put his neck, perhaps. The quality of mercy is not strain'd; under the binds of the guillotine. Worse it droppeth, as the gentle rain from than this, anonymous letters reached him, warning him to loss no time in proving like patriotism by some indiaputable sacrifice, and in silencing his

was likely ere long to cost her her life. Danville knew her well enough to know that there was but one way of saving her, and thereby saving himself, # She had always refused to emigrate; but he now insisted that she should selze the first opportunity he could procure for her of quitting France until calmer

times arrived. Probably she would have risked her own life ten times over rather than have obeyed him; but she had not the courage to risk her son's too; and she yielded for his sake. Partly by secret influence, partly by unblushing fraud, Danville procured for her such papers and permits as would enable her to leave France by way of Marseilles. Even then she refused to depart, gntil she knew what her son's plans were for the future. He showed her a letter which he was about to dispatch to Robespierre himself, vindicating his suspected patriotism, and indignantly demanding to be allowed to prove it by filling some office, no matter how small, under the redoubtable triumvirate which then governed, or more properly, terrified France. The sight of this document reassured Madame Danville. She bade her son farewell, and departed at last, with one trusty servant, for Marseilles.

CHAPTER VIII.



ANVILLE'S intention in sending his letter to Paris had been simply to save himself triotic bluster. He was thunderstruck at receiving a reply, taking him at moning him to the

employment there under the then furs all winter, walking ten or fifteen existing government. There was miles a day over the meanest trails, no choice but to obey. So to and come out smiling, having made 25 Paris he journeyed; taking als wife or 50 cents a day on an average. Why, with him into the very jaws of danger. I knew two men to hunt sixty days and He was then at open enmity with Tru- get fourteen foxes, worth at the most daine; and the more anxious and \$28, but they smiled at it and thought alarmed he could make the brother feel | they had done well, In the same time, on the sister's account, the better he working no more hours a day driving was pleased. True to his trust and his a team, sitting down most of the time, love, through all dangers as through they would have made \$128 at the lowall persecutions, Trudaine followed est. But after all, I guess the only way them; and the street of their sojourn to look at it is that they have fifty at Paris, in the periolus days of the Terror, was the street of his sojourn | two or four, like us, and I don't see but

acceptance of his proffered services- how you look at it." found that the post selected for him was one of the superintendent's places in that very office of Secret Police in of Paris, and under the Reign of Terror, Loma, 'e's old master was, naturally, his master still—the superintendent to whom he was ceremonially accountable, in public—the suspected ungel will surmount the dome.—Exof Paris, and under the Reign of Ter- the angel down from its perch. he was officially set to watch, in private.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HAD TO PAY TWICE. Plight of an Ocean Travelor Who Lost Itis Ticket.

There was one young man on the steamship New York, says the New York Times, who paid well for his passage. When it came time to present his ticket to the steward it was not to be found. Pockets were turned inside out. might entreat and upbraid, might talk trunks were turned upside down, hatbands torn out and a stateroom conhe heeded her not, or heeded only to verted into a wilderness of pillot a, bed-

The unfortunate passenger usked every man, woman and child on the ship: "Have you seen ticket No. 1.601?" Noticea were posted on the bulletin

some one would ask. Then a dozen "Which '1.6%,' the man or the

tioket?" day, Mr. "1,601" gave up the struggle and paid \$125 for his passage. This is

"I have examined the first and secthing they pussess. When I state that the New York customs authorities In the old times the victim would wen't get within a few thousands of

mony.

"The steerage had 202 passengers in It would take me at least thres days to examine them, and that would bring me into Sunday, and as we are due Saturday, I guess I'll give it up." When "1,601" left the pler yesterday

The Monnest Kind of Husiness public know that a certain class of

he was better known than the purser.

a living out of the sales of articles left in railway carriages and waiting rooms and suberquently disposed of at auc-

traven, Upon the place beneath.—Shakon are,

Nothing grows so fust as trouble that therelop properly.

CHARMS OF ROD AND OUN.

Why Do Lazy Men Choose Hardest of Ways to Earn Living?

"There is one thing I don't understand," said the old fisherman, "and that is why so many men who are born lazy take up fishing as a way of getting a living. Now, take any town on the borders of the Adirondacks, for instance, and you will find in it a man or two, or even more, who live by fishing almost entirely. They fish morning, noon and night, all day long and all night, too, sometimes, and then sell their trout at 40 or 50 cents a pound. They are tireder when night comes than if they had been working their farms. They have expended more pounds of force than a carpenter, or even a blacksmith. The reflection of the sun on the water has blistered their faces painfully, and the chances are that they have eaten only a bit of bread and hard-boiled egg for lunch. In the cold days of early spring, just after the season opens, they nearly freeze, but ask one about it and he says it is fus. All tired out, he sinks back in his chair after his day's fishing, smoking a pipe, and the chances are with a smile on his face that tells of genuine comfort. He is really happier after his hard day's work than anybody I ever saw after his regular legitimate labor. Now, what I want to know is, what is there about the labor of one Hammond, Table Grove, Illinois. after his hard day's work than anybody of these fellows that is so comforting? I can't understand it a little bit."

such fellows when I'm out hunting. They'll carry a pack basket weighing 50 or 100 pounds fifteen miles on their backs, besides rifles and leading dogs. hi- word, and sum- They kill a deer and eat some of the meat and sell the rest with the head for capital to accept \$10-two weeks' work. They will trap Hood's Pills take, case to under the then turn all winter, walking ten or officers weeks of vacation a year instead of what they get as much fun out of living Danville had been astonished at the es we do, or more. It all depends on

An Angel Without Wings. One of the prompipal decorative feawhich Lomaque was employed as tures of the new city hall in San Franagent. Robespierre and his collegues cisco was to have been a great whitehad taken the measure for their man- metal angel, with outspread wings, he had money enough, and local im- poised on the top of the big dome. This portance enough, to be worth studying, angel has been the subject of much The affairs of the Secret Police were crabbed centroversy between the gruff the sort of affairs which an unscrupu- mayor, Mr. Sutro, and the commissiontously cunning man was fitted to help ers. The mayor criticised the angel on; and the faithful exercise of that severely and rather ridiculed the whole cunning in the service of the state was thing. But the big angel was at last ensured by the presence of Lomaque in finished and ready for hoisting to its the office. The discarded servant was place on the dome. Then it was discovjust the right sort of spy to watch the ered that its wings offered too much suspected master. Thus it happened sail space and that they would unthat. In the office of the Secret Police doubtedly in the first high wind pull

> Didn't Follow Instructions. Irate Patron-You advertise to cure consumption, don't you?

Doctor-Yes, sir; I never fall when my instructions are followed.

Irate Patron-My son took your medicine for a year and died an hour after the last dose. Doctor-My instructions were not fol-

lowed. I told him to take it two years. -Tit-Bits.

Giving Her a Lead on Cuba. The young king of Spain recently decribed an island to his geography teacher as a body of land almost entirely occupied by insurgents,

POINTERS ON FLOWERS.

Loosen the leaves and other winter sovering from about the hardy bulbs, The beds for the summer plants may now be thoroughly spaded and fertil-"Have you even Mr. '1,601,' to-day?" tzed, sithough the plants must not be set out for some time to come-no matter how tempting and balmy are the April days.

Don't be discouraged if the garden is After the big dinner Thanksgiving small; fertilize heavily now, and plant closely a little later, and with careful slanning a surprising quantity of flowers may be raised in even the tiniest sard.

The crocuses are now in full bloom, and many of the outdoor hyacinths budded. But don't neglect them because them seem so perfectly hardy. Keep evergreen boughs and atraw convenient for a light covering on cold ughts.

Now is the time for planting and transplanting hardy shrubbery. Pack he earth firmly about the roots and alow each bush plenty of room to grow. see that all new varieties are carefully abeled for future reference.

Remember that it is not too early to plant the sweet peas outside the very irst day of Apri, and they should surely Very few peeple among the general be planted before the middle of this uonth if they are to make good growth small brokers and stick and umbrella and withstand the summer heat. Don't sellers of London, who have not got be in a hurry about planting other regular shops of their own, make quite flower seed autside for some time to

> The peonigs are now sending up thick ed stalks and sprigs of green tris are orming theifty clumps in the borders. loosen the soil about the clumps, then spread dry leaves or straw over the opsened earth. This loosening of the soil is very important, as the winter overing may become so packed and sard that the sprouting stalks cannot

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take Hood's Sersaparilla. Soon appetits cause back; the sores commenced to heal, My limbs straightened out and I threw

"Yes," said another man, who hunted instead of fishing for fun, "I see just such fellows when I'm out hunting Sarsaparilla

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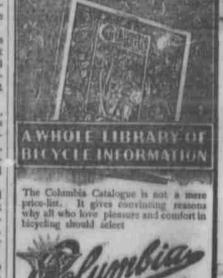
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